ACQUISITION PROCEEDINGS TO ACQUIRE CERTIAN SURVEY NUMBERS FOR FORMATION OF APPROACH ROAD TO JAMMAPUR FROM CHANNAGIRI-SIVANI ROAD.

Q.— 246. Sri D. T. SEETHARAMA RAO (Bhadravathi)—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the stage at which the acquisition proceedings to acquire certain survey numbers to form an approach road to Jammapur village from Channagiri-Sivani Road are pending ;

(*b*) the probable extent of land in acres required to form the above road ;

(*c*) the time elapsed since the acquisition proceedings were completed ;

(*d*) whether they are aware of the inconveniences caused to cattle and the village on account of the delay in the acquisition proceedings ;

(*e*) probable time required for completing acquisition proceedings and the reasons for the delay?

A.—Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue).—

(*a*) The acquisition proceeding have been dropped in the initial stage as the Village Panchayat was not in a position to meet the cost of acquisition.

(*b*), (*c*), (*d*) and (*e*) Does not arise in view of the reply to clause (*a*) above .

RELEASE OF HEDDASANA BEELU OF MALHAL FOREST TO THE LANDLESS RYOTS OF MALHAL VILLAGE FOR CULTIVATION.

Q.—247. Sri D. T. SEETHARAMA RAO (Bhadravathi).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that Sri K. F. Patil, the then Minister for Forest, during his visit has assured, Malahal village landless ryots that the Heddasana Beelu of Malhal Forest would be released for cultivation ;

(*b*) the steps taken by the Government to release the said Heddasana Beelu to the landless ryots;

(*c*) the time required to release the said land ?

A.—Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA (Minister for Forests).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) and (*c*) Does not arise in view of reply to clause (*a*).